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# Market Downturns May Offer Opportunities

*Avoiding the stock market because you are afraid of a downturn?*

## Take Action

- Do not allow fear to govern your investment decisions in a market downturn
- Contact your financial professional to discuss your options

## Learn More

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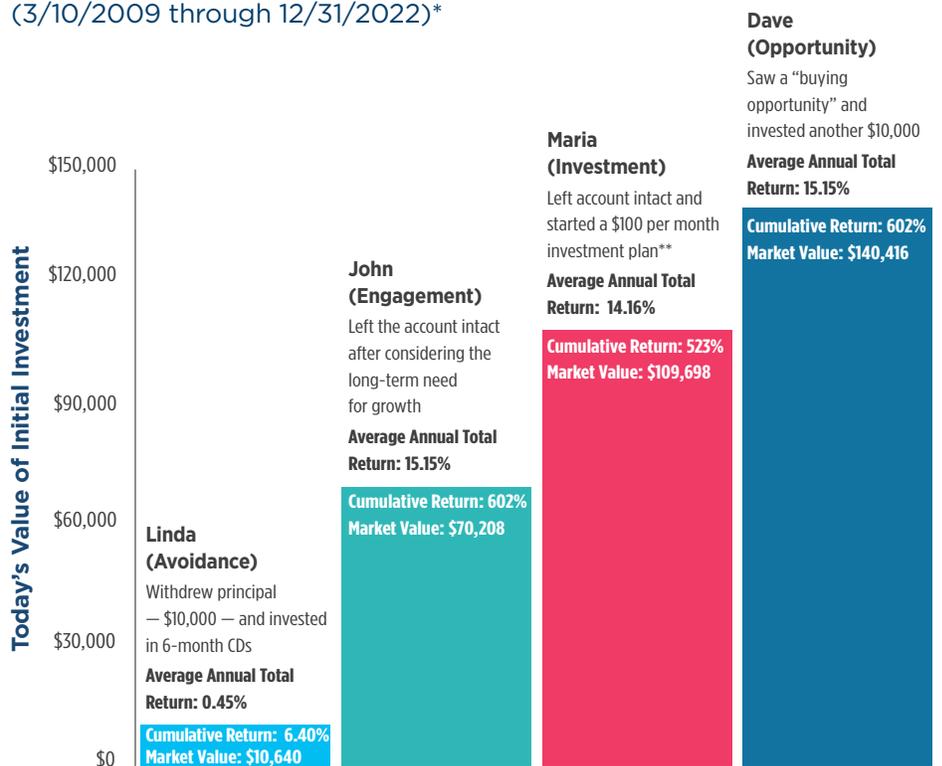
**Taking advantage of buying opportunities when markets are down has historically proven to be an effective strategy for building long-term wealth.**

Consider the scenarios of four friends, each of whom chose a different investment approach during the 2008 - 2009 market downturn. Each took action at the market low on 3/9/09 (although it was impossible for them to realize this was the case at the time). Linda opted to avoid the market altogether, while John, Maria and Dave each chose to participate in the market at some level, with varying degrees of success. Dave's opportunistic approach, which required a more generous appetite for risk, proved most successful.

**Hypothetical values today of four investor choices made after the recession market low. Which scenario would you follow?**

**A \$10,000 initial account value and investment in a portfolio of stocks represented by the S&P 500®**

(3/10/2009 through 12/31/2022)\*



Scenarios reflect investment actions taken March 10, 2009. **Past performance is no guarantee of future results.**

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